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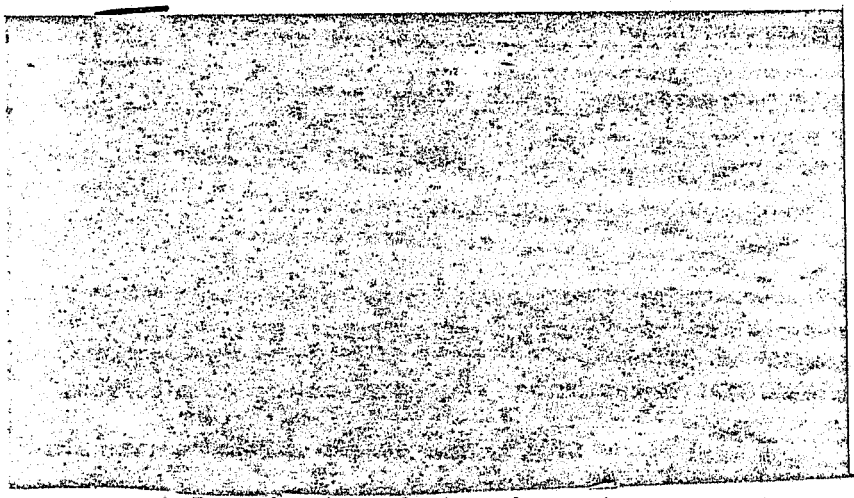
I talked to Bill Foster today about the Pilgrims to Mecca, who are stranded somewhere in the Near East, for whom Byroade ardently wishes U. S. Air Force transportation. There are between 1,000 to 1,500 of them, and we are anxious to have this done if Defense will agree.

I talked to the President about my conversation with Oliver Franks last night regarding Iran. stet cm

Messrs. McFall, Linder and Ty Wood came to see me about the guaranty clauses in MSA legislation. Eddie Miller is opposed to having them apply to Latin American countries, whom we have been attempting to influence along these lines.



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Hank Byroade stopped at my house to pick up these two messages, and stet cm I told him the President had asked that Dean, Byroade and myself meet him at the White House at 11:00 o'clock tomorrow morning. Harriman and Lovett are out of town, and therefore will not be present.

Macgill and Carrie James came to dinner with me.

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